



TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



FM 89 (BUFFALO GAP ROAD) IMPROVEMENTS

FROM Near Chimney Rock Road

TO US 83

Public Meeting – April 25, 2017

The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable Federal environmental laws for this project are being, or have been, carried-out by TxDOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated December 16, 2014, and executed by FHWA and TxDOT.



Purpose of the Public Meeting

- Inform Public of Project Developments
- Present Data and Findings from First Public Meeting
- Seek Additional Input on Proposed Project
- Solicit Comments

Project Study Area

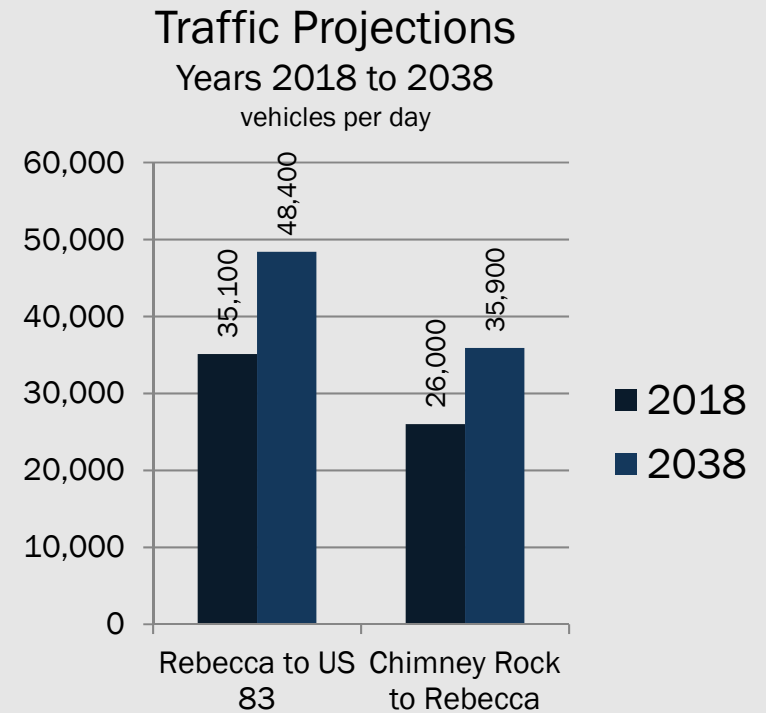
FM 89 / Buffalo Gap Road

- 1.2 miles
- From Near Chimney Rock Rd
- To US 83



Need and Purpose

- Traffic Safety
- Congestion Alleviation
- Access Management
- Drainage Control
- Pedestrian & Bicycle Accommodation



Project Developments

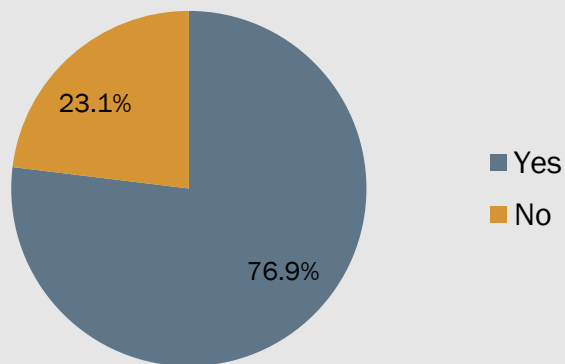
- Analyzed Input from First Public Meeting
- Studied Drainage
- Refined Design Schematic

Data and Findings from First Public Meeting

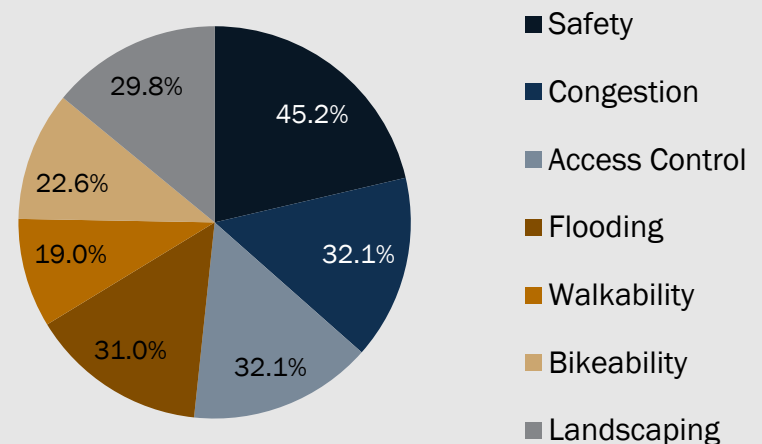
Held on November 1, 2016

- Over 130 persons attended
- 68 Written Comments Received
- Results of Survey:

Should transportation funds be pursued and expended to improve Buffalo Gap Rd?



Prioritize these Buffalo Gap Rd improvement



Proposed Project

Rebecca to US 83

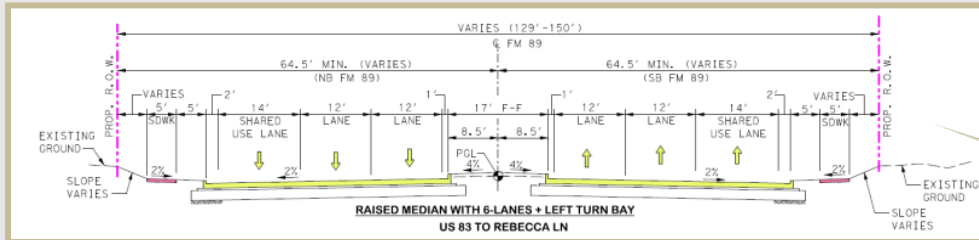
- Reconstruct & Widen to 3 Lanes in each direction with Raised Median & Dedicated Left-Turn Lanes
- Sidewalks & Bicycle Shared Use Lanes

South of Chimney Rock to South of Rebecca

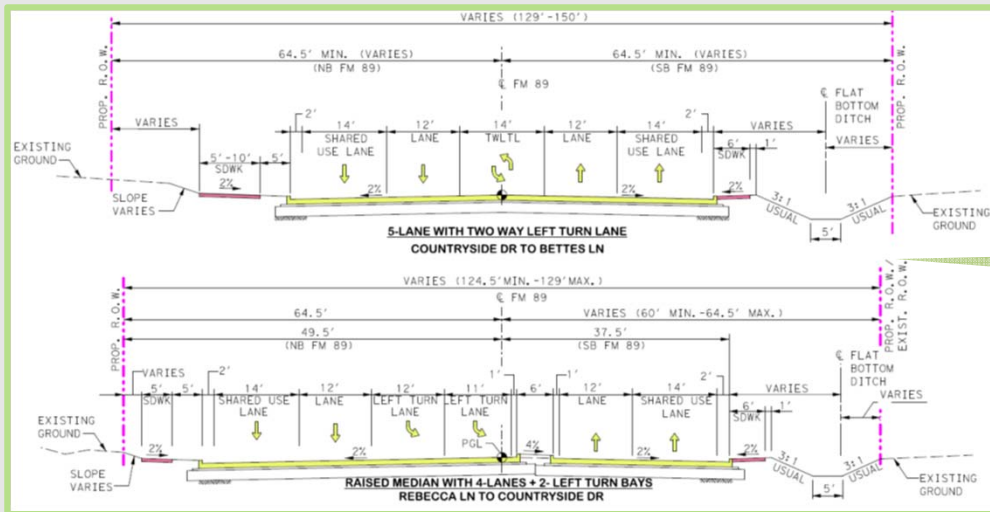
- Reconstruct to 2 Lanes in each direction with 2-Way Left-Turn Lane
- Sidewalks & Bicycle Shared Use Lanes

Proposed Project

Rebecca to US 83



South of Chimney Rock to South of Rebecca



FM 89

Buffalo Gap Rd

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FM 89 (Buffalo Gap Road) Improvements

Proposed Project – looking south towards Arrowhead Dr.

Existing

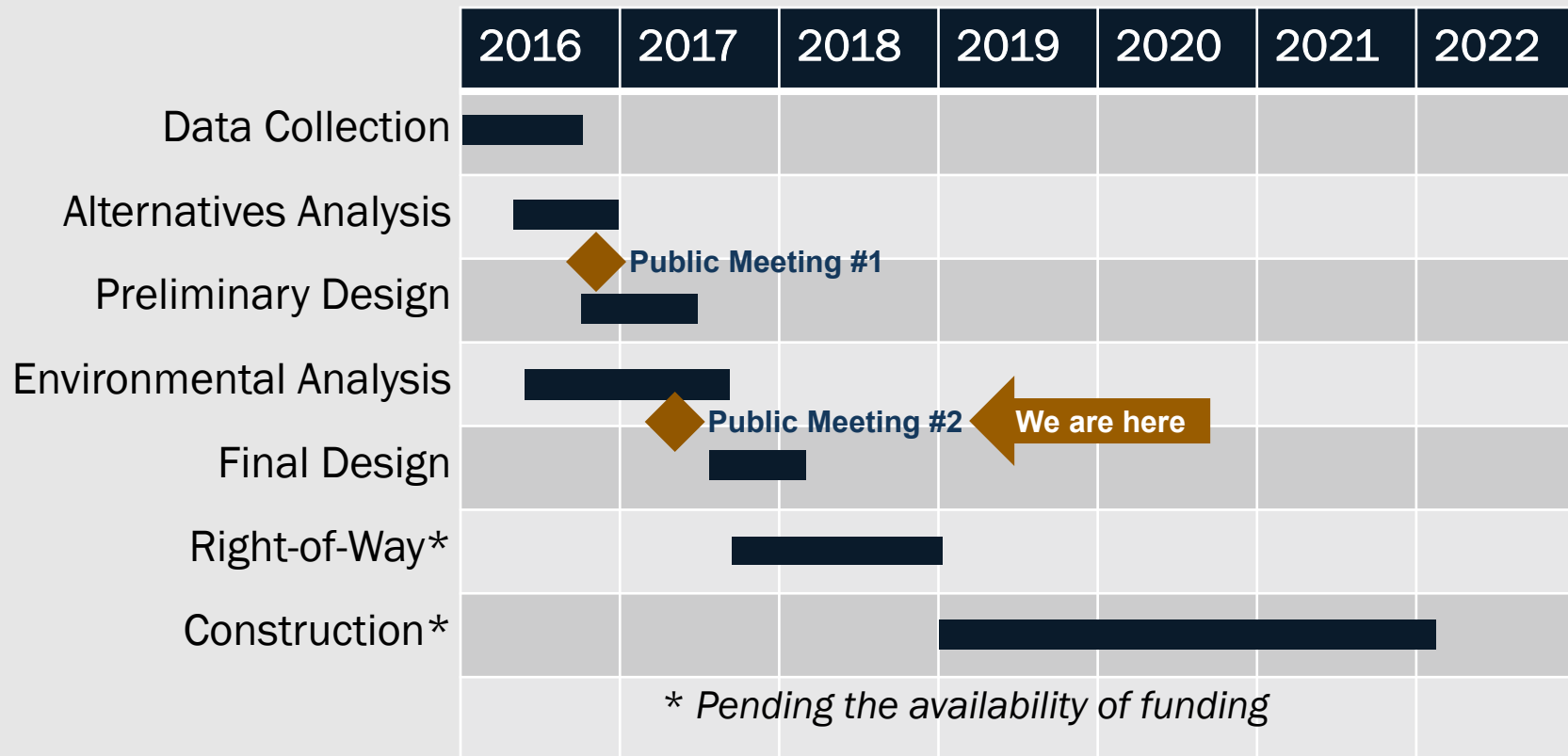


Proposed



Next Steps

Anticipated Schedule



Submitting Comments

- Submit at today's meeting or
- Submit in writing to:

TxDOT Abilene District
Attn: Brandon Vinson
4250 North Clack Street
Abilene, TX 79601-9241

or by email at Brandon.Vinson@txdot.gov

Comments must be postmarked by **May 10, 2017**

Thank You for Attending